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aug1-1m G. L. MILNE, M. D.

ART NOTICE.

Mr. G. W. Bigger has for the last week had an exhibition some fine portraits of people from all parts of the province, which reflects great credit on the artist. As an Oil Painter he stands unrivalled in this line. We guarantee all work. Mr. Bigger will enlarge from small pictures of any kind in Oil Water Colors, Indian Ink, Pastel and Crayon, in a few days he will be able to put on the market Porcelain and French Porcelain, the great French Art. By sending to Box 165, Victoria, B. C., Angel Hotel, your photo or tintype, I will send you a portrait done in Ink or Water Colors for $5.00, all first-class. Sent to any part of the province C. O. D. All work guaranteed. Send in your orders and be convinced of the bargain I am offering. ag1

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A Smoker's Paradise—The Fragrant Havana—The Weed's Manipulation.

To the lovers of the fragrant weed a visit to the cigar factory of

KURTZ & CO.,

Government street, will be of interest. Presenting ourselves at the well stocked cigar depot, we were cordially received by Mr. Kurtz, who kindly conducted us to the factory upstairs, and handed us over to the guidance of the obliging foreman, Mr. Bebusen. The fumes of the nicotine pervaded the room; at first inhalation almost choking, causing us to nictate till the water rolled in streams from our optics. Becoming used to it after a little we were enabled to see plainly the vat where the leaf is placed for damping. We were then shown samples of leaf used in the manufacture of the Kurtz & Co.'s celebrated brands of cigars, from the popular Kurtz's Own to the more common brand. The leaf for filling the Havana brands is imported direct from Cuba, and that for the wrappers from Sumatra, while the more common filling and wrappers are obtained from Pennsylvania and Connecticut. There is neither chemicals nor any adulterous matter for flavoring used by these celebrated manufacturers. The leaves on being damped are taken in hand by a boy who nimbly separates them singly, spreading them out on his knee till there are a sufficiency to form what is called a "pack," when they are rolled up and laid to rest for twenty four hours. These are for wrappers, and what are designated binders. The Havana leaf is small, delicate, and most fragrant odor, and dark in color. The cigarmakers were busy at their several tables or desks. The filling deftly handled was placed in the "binder" leaf, a few smart twists and shaping motions given; the form of the cigar grew under the manipulation of the nimble fingers; the wrapper proper was then put on, the end cut, and the "cigar" was ready for smoking, all but paying the Queen's duty. The goods are then taken in hand by the sorter, who piles them in heaps of "Colorado," "Maduro," and other colors, when they are packed in boxes of 50's and 100's ready to receive the

STAMP OF THE REVENUE DEPARTMENT,

and for the market. The work in the factory is all manual and the most perfect of its kind on the coast. The refuse stalks are packed in cases and once a month consigned to the use of Her Majesty's tobacco pipe. The refuse filling and clippings are packed and exported to Hamburg, there, no doubt, it is made to do duty for the best imported Havana's of the Empire. Tastes differ even in tobacco and the German burgher, mine Herr, of the tony kind, may fancy he is doing it grand puffing to reek of the fragrant imported article made from the clippings and dust of the Victoria factories to the great admiration of his frau or frauline as the case may be. Such are the tricks of trade, but not at the factory of Kurtz & Co. The tobacco leaf is warehoused in the large bonded premises at the factory. The work-rooms and warerooms of the firm occupy the whole of the extensive flat, No. 79 Government street, and are well ventilated and well suited for the purpose. The cigar boxes now used have to be imported from 'Frisco. At one time, not long ago they were manufactured in the city. The demand being limited this industry had to bow to the inevitable and give up the ghost. The firm of Kurtz & Co. retains a large provincial export trade, and employ constantly some ten hands in the Victoria, and four at the Vancouver branch. At one time 70 hands, including men, women and boys, were constantly employed till eastern competition, on opening of the C. P. R., almost extinguished this important industry as far as the cigar manufacturing interests of British Columbia is concerned. The noble determination on the part of the proprietors in not employing Chinese labor is well worthy of imitation, and they patiently await an awakening of that patriotic sentiment that will patronize and encourage our home industries. Were cheap living obtainable here in proportion to Montreal, wages would consequently come down and this once flourishing industry

WOULD FLOURISH AGAIN.

Yet the retail price, notwithstanding the competition of the east and that of the Chinese, remains to the consumer the same; it is still a "bit" for a cigar. However, it all ends in smoke and a cigar to some is a cigar, be it cabbage leaves, laurel leaves or brown paper, Chinese labor, pauper labor or convict labor, it does not seem to matter. There was a white labor union in connection with the cigar trade here some time ago, but it was killed, and so was the trade by smokers not "insisting" on our own native manufactures, instead of vile importations! Notwithstanding the insurmountable drawbacks which this especial industry has to contend with we were informed that there was a steady, most perceptible increase. The firm last year manufactured 13,417 lbs of leaf tobacco, producing half a million cigars! We found in Mr. Bebusen, who is a German, a person who discussed the details of the manufacture and the trade generally with that intelligence and common sense for which his race is remarkable. Fully posted on all details it only remains for a continuance and a revival of public patronage to make the factory of Kurtz & Co., the busy scene of a few years ago. The superior article turned out defies competition as to excellence. The brands of Kurtz & Co. are well known, and need no further comment here. We had a long chat with Mr. Kurtz in the cigar depot, whom we found to be a man of more than ordinary intelligence and perception. An old timer of the old times, he does not seem to have cultivated much of the moss. An examination was made of the fine collection of ores. They were explained with all the ardour of a miner of the early days of Cariboo. We also learned that he was a gentleman devoted to literature, and has ere now tried his hand at scribbling. Pocketing a specimen of the latter and a cigar at the same time, we took our leave, bearing joyful remembrances of a few short pleasant hours, which may well be used to our profit and improvement of mind.

Smoke "B. C. No. 1" Cigarette tobacco.

NORTH PACIFIC'S BOILER.

Broke Away and Fell Into the Waters of the Bay.

The heavy boiler belonging to the steamer North Pacific, which was built by Hinkley, Simpson & Hayes, of San Francisco, and weighed 60,000 pounds, was accidentally dropped into Commencement Bay, Tacoma, on Tuesday night. The work of placing the boiler on board the steamer was being done by James Randall an experienced house mover, who had six men engaged in the work. The boiler had been got in proper position on the wharf and when the tide brought the steamer's deck and the floor of the wharf on a level, the moving was begun. The boiler was supported on three inch fir planking. As soon as the weight of the heavy iron structure came upon the deck, the boat sunk lower in the water and the boiler rolled on board, but the few three-inch plank were insufficient to support the enormous weight of thirty tons and snapped like toothpicks, letting the whole weight of the boiler fall on the port guard of the steamer. The guard was smashed and possibly some serious strain sustained by the hull. The port rail went to the water as the boiler went over and the stern lines snapped, the steamer swinging far out into the water. The boiler is valued at $20,000; it will be raised as soon as possible.

THE RIFLE MATCHES.

Competition Continued To-Day—Victoria Corporation Prizes.

The matches at the butts were continued yesterday with the following results:

WESTMINSTER STAKES

200 and 400 yards, 5 shots at each range. At the 400 yards in this match the wind was blowing a gale and many goose eggs were recorded. The following are the prize winners:

	Points	Value.
1. A H Langley, B C G A	44	$10 00
2. Sergt Newbury, B C G A	42	7 50
3. Sergt H H Roper, Vic. Rifles	41	5 00
4. Gr W H Collin, B C G A	41	2 50
5. Pte A F Cotton, N W R	41	2 50
6. A Butler, B C R A	40	2 50
7. Corp Winsby, B C R A	39	2 50
8. Gr J L Beckwith, B C R A	39	2 50
9. Gr H Fleming, B C R A	37	2 50

The firing was resumed this morning with Competition No. 5, Victoria Corporation Match; ranges 200 and 500 yards, 5 shots at each range with the following results:

	Points	Prizes
1. Sergt H H Roper, V R	39	$10 00
2. Pte Cotton, N W R	36	7 50
3. J Healy, V R	35	5 00
4. Corpt Winsby, B C G A	35	5 00
5. Sergt Newbury, B C G A	34	5 00
6. Capt Green, R I	34	5 00
7. Gunner Beckwith, B C G A	34	2 50
8. Pte Fletcher, N W R	33	2 50
9. Gunner F B Sargison, B C G A	33	2 50
10. Gunner Keary, B C G A	33	2 50
11. Lieut-Col Wolfenden	32	2 50
12. Mr W Wolfenden	32	2 50

The Laurie Bugle Match resulted in a victory for the Victoria team by 94 points: Victoria team scored 495 points; New Westminster scored 401 points.

Competition No. 7, Chaplean Challenge Cup is in progress this afternoon.

The weather is fair with wind strong from the right. No. 8 will be completed to-night. No. 9 will commence at 9 o'clock sharp to-morrow morning, and it is expected all will be closed by noon.

SUPREME COURT.

(Before His Lordship Justice Crease.)

Thomas Turner vs J C Prevost, Wm Power and others: This case occupied the Court during Wednesday and Thursday, the 1st and 2nd August insts. Mr. T. Davie, Q C, appeared for the plaintiff. Mr Pooley, Q C, for the defendants, other than Mrs Turner, the plaintiff's mother, and Mr. Bodwell for Mrs Turner. The plaintiff is the nephew of William Bridge, who died at Burrard Inlet on the 17th of August, 1881, intestate, possessed of about 160 acres of land on the north shore of the Inlet known as lot 271, group 1, New Westminster district; together with stock and effects and about $1700 in money.

The action was brought to enforce specific performance of an agreement between the plaintiff and the deceased by which the latter contracted to leave the property to the plaintiff upon his decease in consideration of the plaintiff devoting his time and services to the cultivation and improvement of the place.

The plaintiff also claimed that a sale of the real property made by the defendant Prevost acting as administrator to the defendant Power—under an order of Court—should be set aside upon payment by the plaintiff to Power of the consideration money, $2000, given by Power therefor, and that Prevost should make good such payment out of the moneys in his hands belonging to the estate.

The judge, after a careful and impartial summing up, left a series of questions to the jury, who, after an absence of about an hour, returned a verdict in the plaintiff's favor upon all the questions submitted, finding that the documents produced by the plaintiff were genuine, and an agreement subsisted at the death of Bridge, by which the land, stock and effects became the property of the plaintiff. A rider was attached to the finding of the jury, which deprecated the manner in which intestate estates are administered in the province. Judgment was reserved.

PERSONAL.

Mr E A Carleton, superintendent to city schools, Helena, Montana, gave the TIMES a call this morning. Mr Carleton is returning home from the San Francisco convention.

Mr George Webb, keeper of the Victoria park, having secured three months leave is about to visit his old home in Scotland, after an absence of 36 years. He will take in the great International Exhibition in Glasgow before returning.

The many friends of Mr W E Slater, Dun, Wiman & Co's representative in this city, will be sorry to learn that he has been transferred to Seattle, where he goes to commence his duties on the 15th inst. While sorry to lose Mr Slater's genial presence it is pleasing to know that he is being promoted to a more important district which includes the whole of the sound. He will be succeeded by Mr E W Mathews, of Winnipeg, who is daily expected to arrive.

R Offerhaus, who has been rusticating at his father-in-law's, G W Anderson's, M P P, has returned to the city.

W Levinge has left for Beaver Point, to take charge of the school there.

Mr and Mrs J G McLagan, and Mrs Miss Matheson, Belleville, returned from Portland last night.

Dr Milne left on the Alaskan this morning bound for Toronto.

Mrs Jessie R Olding, late of Pictou Nova Scotia, has been appointed teacher of Metchosin school.

There are said to have been over fifty desertions from A Battery, Kingston, since January. An enquiry is being urged.

HOME AND FOREIGN.

Great Storms in England and at Chicago—Terrible Forest Fires—Chinese Execution.

Americans Protesting Against C.P.R. Competition—Jumped from Brooklyn Bridge.

DEVASTATING FOREST FIRES.

Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 3—Terrible forest fires are raging in the country around Ottawa. St. Joseph's village of five hundred inhabitants is nearly surrounded by flames. It is believed to be doomed. Owing to the dryness this season it is impossible to check the flames. For an area of five miles around Chaudriere Junction on the Canadian Pacific Railway, the fire has full control, destroying houses and everything in its course. Valuable forests of timber along the mountain range are burning toward the town of Aylmer, threatening its destination. It is estimated that half a million has been lost. Many families are fleeing for safety.

ALLEGED TREATY VIOLATIONS.

Toronto, Aug. 3—It is claimed that the Dominion is investigating a violation of the Washington Treaty by the American Government in the treatment of Canadian vessels passing through the American canals.

CABLE NEWS.

GREAT RAINSTORM IN ENGLAND.

London, Aug. 3—A great rainstorm prevailed in the London district yesterday and last night. Meadows and road were flooded and thousands of cattle drowned. The Eastern railroad was damaged to the extent of fifty thousand pounds.

STANLEY NOT LOST.

Brussels, Aug. 3—Lieut. Wissman, the German explorer, is here. He informed the King that he believes Stanley was not lost.

EXPLOSION IN FIRE WORKS.

London, Aug. 3—An explosion in the fire works factory at Wandsworth to-day destroyed the structure. Several female employes were killed.

UNITED STATES NEWS.

ALL NIGHT ON A WRECK.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—The schooner yacht Rambler capsized on the Lake during the storm last night. Captain Rickaby, his son and two sailors clung to the wreck all night, and were rescued this morning by the steamer Taylor, in an exhausted condition.

POLICEMAN SHOT.

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 3.—Hans Hanson, a policeman, was found this morning shot dead on his beat. The deed is supposed to have been done by some one mistaking him for a burglar or for a footpad, as he wore a rubber coat over his uniform, the night being a stormy one.

ELECTIONS IN TENNESSEE.

Nashville, Aug. 3—Returns indicate that east Tennessee has gone Republican by the usual majority. There are Democratic gains in middle and west Tennessee.

THE MAXWELL CASE.

Jefferson City, Mo., Aug. 2—Governor Moorehouse to-day received the following telegram from Secretary of State Bayard, relative to granting a respite to Hugh M. Brooks, alias Maxwell, of St. Louis: "I forward by mail to-day an application of the British Government for a respite in the Maxwell case." The governor possesses no further information concerning the matter and as yet can give no idea as to what course he will pursue.

THE KANSAS CIVIL WAR.

Hutchinson, Kansas, Aug. 3—In compliance with last night's order from Governor Martin troops left this morning for the scene of the trouble between the Hugoton and Woodsdale people in Steven County. They will be obliged to march to Hugoton, a distance of forty miles over a rough road and through sand hills. This march will require more than a day, so that the militia cannot reach Hugoton before to-morrow. On arriving there the regiment will be divided, four companies proceeding to Woodsdale and four remaining at Hugoton. The people will be required to disarm. Latest accounts from the scene say the people of both towns are under arms continually, and a deadly combat is liable to take place at any moment. Many settlers are leaving with their families.

SUGAR AGAIN DECLINES.

San Francisco, Aug. 3—Sugar continues to decline. Both refineries have made another reduction of an eighth of cent in all grades of refined material. Sugar has declined 1⅛ cents since last Friday.

THE ARIZONA INDIANS.

Tucson, Aug. 3—About sundown last night a band of ambushed Indians fired into a tent of soldiers and the store of the sub-agency, before Fort Thomas and San Carlos. About twenty shots were fired. The soldiers arrived at Fort Thomas about 2:30 this morning and gave the alarm. Troops immediately started in pursuit but nothing has been heard from them. General Miles goes to San Carlos to-day and will endeavor to communicate with the renegades and induce them to return to the agency. It is thought the Indians have gone south.

JUMPED FROM BROOKLYN BRIDGE.

New York, Aug. 3—Matthew Byrne, 21 years old, stable keeper, jumped from the Brooklyn bridge this morning. He was picked up by a tug and taken to the hospital, where the physicians say his injuries are fatal. He refused to give reasons for the act.

STORM IN CHICAGO.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—The storm which passed over this city last evening was the severest of the season. Numerous trees on the boulevards were blown down, but no serious damage was done in the city proper. In the southwestern suburbs the havoc was greater. A barn and stockyard were struck by lightning and set on fire. Twenty horses were burned, incurring a loss of $15,000.

A CHINESE EXECUTION.

San Francisco, July 29.—Late advices from China give interesting particulars of the execution of the Marabajah pirates at Longkah, Siam, on the 20th of May. There were nine prisoners, two of whom were arrayed in white coats, which is a sign of condemnation to death, while the others were clothed only in sarongs. All of them were in heavy chains. The sentence was that two of the prisoners should be beheaded and the other seven were each to receive ninety strokes with a rattan and be imprisoned for life. On the reading of the sentence it was discovered that one of the white coats had been put on the wrong man, and one of the seven, on hearing himself thus condemned to die, prayed for his life. The coat was transferred to the unfortunate supplicant.

The flogging then commenced. Stands had been erected where four men could be flogged at once. They were curious structures, consisting of two posts placed about eighteen feet apart, with two parallel bamboos running from the foot of one to the top of the other, the culprits' heads being fastened between them by two bars across. On sitting down a rope was fastened round each prisoner's waist and tied to the post behind him. His arms and legs were then pulled out straight in front of him, his hands tied to bamboos and his feet to the other post, the ropes being pulled so tight that his back was stretched like a drum.

First four men were flogged. The rattans used in the operation were about 4 feet long, and as each stroke fell, the men shrieked with agony, and their backs gradually rose in a gory, swollen, shapeless mass. After administering 30 strokes, the floggers stopped for rest, and then gave the remaining thirty, the other three men who had still to be flogged, and the two who were to be beheaded, looking on all the time. When the four had been flogged, the other three were treated to the same dreadful punishment.

The flogging being over, the police marched with the two condemned prisoners to the place of execution, a field, where a space of about 250 yards in circumference had been roped off, round which a great crowd of people, principally Siamese and Chinese, had assembled. When they had arrived, the executioners, after sprinkling themselves with water, proceeded to ask forgiveness for the deed about to be done, and on this being granted presented each prisoner with a flower. In the centre of the field two short stakes had been driven into the ground and to these, when the executioners had finished their meal, the prisoners walked slowly out without any one to guard them. Afterwards the executioners walked out with Japanese swords and sat down some thirty paces beyond the prisoners. They sat thus for perhaps a minute, and then rose and advanced towards the doomed men, executing fantastic, dance-like figures. On receiving the word they advanced toward the prisoners more quickly than before, and when within reach, after standing for a few seconds with their swords poised in the air, they proceeded to cut their heads off.

The head of the man who had begged for his life was taken off at three blows, but seven or eight were struck before the head of the other, an immensely powerful looking man, with thick muscular neck, fell. The moment the first man's head fell his executioner ran off to a temple close by to perform certain rites, the other executioner following him as soon as his victim's head was off. The heads were thrown into kerosene tins along with arsenic, to be sent to Frang, where the piracy for which the men were executed took place. The bodies were then cut down and a Chinaman with an axe chopped off the heels from the lifeless limbs, so as to permit the irons, which were welded on, being removed.

TEEMER AND HAMM DEFEATED.

Saratoga, Aug. 3—The postponed double scull race for $2500 a side and championship of the United States, between Teemer and Hamm, against Gaudaur and McKay this morning was won by Gaudaur and McKay by four lengths. Time 19:56.

THE AMERICANS KICKING.

Washington, Aug. 3.—A resolution was offered in the Senate this morning instructing the Committee on Interstate Commerce to make full investigation into the relations of the Canadian railroads with transportation across the continent of commerce which naturally belongs to the United States, the mover making a long speech to show how by aids and subsidies granted by the British and Canadian Governments to railroads and steamships Canadian lines are obtaining control of commerce, especially of the transportation of tea, forty-two per cent of the tea business being now carried on through Canada.

OFFICIALLY DENIED.

Berlin, Aug. 3.—The rumor of a meeting between Queen Victoria and Emperor William at Baden is officially denied.

ANOTHER PIONEER GONE.

Death This Morning of Coote M. Chambers.

Another of our pioneers, Coote M. Chambers, passed away at 11 o'clock this morning at St. Joseph's Hospital. For some time the deceased was a sufferer from chronic bronchitis but his sudden death was unexpected by his relatives and friends. He arrived in this province in March, 1859, after serving his time as midshipman with Green & Co., of London. For many years he was messenger for Messrs. Dietz & Nelson, and was, through his aptitude and honesty, appointed book-keeper for the Moodyville Sawmill Company. In 1872 the deceased was appointed Accountant in the Dominion Savings Bank, and held the position at the time of his death. His connection with the Victoria Amateur Orchestra will be remembered by all our citizens, and many of our charitable institutions owe their existence to the concerts given by the orchestra under the direction of the deceased, who held the position of conductor until incapacitated by illness. Some three years ago he was stricken with typhoid fever and the seeds of the malady which carried him off were traceable to this disease. He leaves a wife and three children, one a daughter by his first wife. His brother resides in Nevada. Deceased was born in Dublin, Ireland, and was aged about 52 years. During his residence in this province he made many friends, and his death will be felt by all classes both on this Island and the Mainland. He was a true friend to the poor and needy and was always foremost in affording sympathy and relief to the suffering and distressed. He was one of those who never made an enemy and was a most loving husband and father. The bereaved wife and family have the sympathy of the community in their sad affliction.

The remains will be removed to the Masonic Hall from which place the funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon, under the auspices of Vancouver Quadra Lodge No. 2, A. F. and A. M. He was a Past Grand Master of the fraternity. He was also a member of the A. O. U. W. The order will attend the funeral.

Steamer Beaver.

An unsuccessful attempt was made yesterday to float the steamer Beaver. She was moved but again grounded back. Cables will be sent from this city and another attempt will be made next week to float her.

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BUYING UP THE PRESS.

It is reported that the old Standard which has turned its coat and betrayed its old friends for thirty pieces of government silver will come out as an evening paper on Monday next. The Standard has always given a virulent opposition to the present government, has been anti-Robson and was anti-Smithe since it was anything. Indeed, so fierce was its opposition to the present provincial secretary only a year or two ago, that Mr. Robson brought an action against it for criminal libel. The editor was committed for trial but the provincial secretary afterwards used his official position to prevent it going before the grand jury and as the editor of the Standard had not the courage to demand that justice be done to him and the case either substantiated or dismissed, the charge has been hanging over him ever since. The Attorney General's office on that occasion was prostituted to serve the unworthy purposes of the Provincial Secretary. The case was kept in abeyance in order that the terror stricken editor of the Standard should not escape the worry and annoyance which the case caused him and as is well known although the public were hurling anathemas at the government for such cowardly conduct, the drowsy old paper never raised its voice in a demand for justice to itself. Mr. Robson is still a member of the government which the Standard has agreed in consideration of a certain number of shekels to support, and to sell its editorial columns. Then there is also Mr. Dunsmuir's connection with the Standard to be considered. It does not require a great effort of the memory to recall the time when an umbrella duel was fought on the public streets between Messrs. Dunsmuir and DeCosmos. The latter on that occasion whacked the knight of the black diamond mines over the head with his cotton umbrella, and reduced his plug hat to a pulp in the short space of ten seconds. Mr. DeCosmos was then and still is virtual owner of the Standard. Mr. Dunsmuir is a member of the Government which it is to support. Mr. DeCosmos will deny that he has any connection with the paper whatever, but at the same time the plant will remain in his building and you will have to make your way to the editorial rooms through a dark alley and over piles of broken bottles if you want to see the editor. To make a long story short, the government has buried all its old hatred for the Standard and taken it up with the hope of injuring The Times and crushing out all opposition. The Standard proprietors with a characteristic greed for dollars have accepted the bribe and lent themselves to the bad business of condoning and defending any and all kinds of bad government. They are not needy men but forget honor, dignity, reputation and everything else in a miserly grasp for a few dollars. After next week every other daily paper in the province, with the exception of the Times and perhaps one other, will be in the pay of the government and wearing its collar. If they could they would own the Times too or crush the life out of it to-morrow. But they never will while the people stand by it as they have done.

QUARTZ DEVELOPMENT.

Upon the question of Government assistance to the mining interests of the province there is complete unanimity among politicians, the only difference of opinion being as to the form and extent of the encouragement to be given. The bills that passed the legislature at the last session—one appropriating $64,000 for the erection and maintenance of crushing, chlorinating and smelting works, and another to enable foreign mining companies to carry on business in the province—received the cordial support of both sides of the house. A proposition made by the Island Mountain Company, of Cariboo, to place its machinery at the disposal of the government was not entertained, and Mr. Martin was sent to San Francisco to purchase the necessary plant for a small sampling mill. The machinery, it is understood, will be in operation before the end of the present year, when the quartz mine owners of Cariboo will be enabled to test their ores at a minimum cost to themselves and no doubt at a very trifling expense to the province, as it is very probable these test works will become self-sustaining. Whoever has charge of the selection of the site will require to exercise good judgment in the location of the works, which to be of any use must be centrally situated and easily accessible by all the mines that are expected to convey their "grists to the mill." The struggling quartz industry, still in its infancy, cannot afford to have another set back such as was sustained through the Big Slide venture. The utmost caution, and the best practical assistance obtainable, no matter what the cost, are required at the inception of this enterprise, in order that preventible mistakes may not occur, and so that the quartz age, to which we all look forward with ardent expectations, may at length be ushered in.

There is not much fear of the Government being too liberal or too energetic in assisting quartz mining. One mill of this kind can only be of value to the immediate locality where it is situated, and others must be erected in other parts of the province, so soon at least as the success of the present one is established.

OLD GOVER'MENT JAVA

A Visit to the Famous Coffee Plantattons on the Island of Java.

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(Written for The Times.)

"As you are here, you could just as well go and visit the coffee plantations."

So my friend spoke, and I quite agreed with him. It was also arranged that I should accompany the Kontroleur (1) and the Regent (2) on their first trip to the mountains. Both officials I had met at an entertainment given by the Regent a few weeks ago. The Kontroleur spoke English fluently, and I had grasped already a few words of Malay, and could at least pretend to listen to the discourse of the Javanese chief, my host translating his words as an answer was required, and treating my response likewise. If this state of conversation somewhat distressed me in the beginning, I soon got used to it, and the idea of being a couple of days under natives with no companion but the Kontroleur who could understand and translate my wishes, did not distress me any more.

That night as the bright moon shone with soft radiance over the broad rice fields, and brought into hazy view the Goenveng Slamat, the distant volcano on whose slope the coffee-plantation lays, I glanced with more interest at its proud cone, riddled by torrents and capped with a little white puff of smoke, and was glad that I should have the opportunity to visit the dormant giant in his solemn retreat. The volcano is only inhabited at its base, and it is three or four years since a part of the wooded slope was transformed into plantations, where the coolies from the valleys going for a short period every month to do the required amount of work, paying there with their personal tax to the Holland Government.

Not, very long ago the Slamat (which means greeting) was the abode of rhinoceroses and tigers and there may still be some specimens of both animals roaming through its dense forests. Deer and wild hogs we were sure to encounter, and I provided myself with a good rifle and shot-gun to be prepared for any emergency. As I stood gazing at the majestic peak, towering up in the distant haze, and, as it were resting on the milky veil which hung over the plain, my friend's voice called me back to the house.

"Don't stay out too long," he said, "the dew is chilling, and you should be long to bed. To-morrow at dawn you must be up, for it is a long journey and a hot one. Go to be bed now. I will take care that you shall be called in time. I am sorry I can't go with you."

I said good night to him and his wife and went to bed, dreaming that night of a rhinoceros chase and tigers. It was half-past four when I woke in response to a gentle tap at my door. It was Sidin, my friend's life-boy, who presently brought a lamp and preceded me with a lantern to the bathroom where I soon got the last particle of sleepiness out of my eyes and body. How cold it was, that stream of mountain water; but I was already used to this kind of morning ablution and soon felt first-rate. Returning home, my head wrapped in the towel and with my cotton night clothes sticking to my wet body, I met my friend who went to the bath.

"Why did you get up?" I asked, for it was quite dark, and I half guessed the boy had been too early altogether.

"It is a quarter past five," he said, "and in an hour the gentlemen will be here. Sidin will get you some coffee and we will have breakfast in a minute. You'll want all the time." They gave some orders to Sidin and hurried to the distant bath-room, where I soon could hear him splashing and blowing as a seal, though the distance was considerable enough. I took a survey of my clothes and selected a light comfortable gray suit, worn out enough to be used for a trip like this and still not too shabby. But as I was going to put it on Sidin, who had returned with the coffee, mentioned to me a low pile of white clothes which he had brought in with the lamp and tried to explain that I should don these. It was a white linen pantaloons and yellow silk sack coat. White linen shoes were included. As I stood laughing at Sidin's efforts to explain to me what I should do, my friend returned and entered the room.

"I thought you would do better to take your suit with you in a satchel, for the sun is awful hot in the mountains and the evenings are cool. I know you left your trunk at Semarang and gave you some of my brother's clothes. He is away and you are about one size."

I thanked him for his kindness, and commenced to dress myself. The morning had now commenced, and I blew out the lamps and finished my toilet by the increasing light. I felt wonderfully vigorous, and knew that that fatal attack of fever, that drove me from Semarang, had left me, as I hoped, not to return again. Our ship had three weeks ago reached Semarang, where we were to take a cargo of sugar and coffee for the canal for orders, and as I was struck by malarial fever two days after our arrival, and rather bad too, I had to be brought ashore, and was put in the hospital. There I happened to find an old friend of mine, formerly a ship doctor, and through his efforts I got a leave for a month to go to the mountains to recover or rather get cured. My friend had a brother in Tegal (a *residentre* on the north shore of Java) and he sent me there to breathe fresh cool air. A trip of two days in an old travelling coach brought me in a rather bad state to Bosemiayoe, where I was received as a son by the old planter and his wife, who kept a cocoa plantation which they were gradually changing into a clinion grove. The trip had utterly exhausted me. I could not speak a word with the chocolate-brown boy who went with me, but the poor creature did whatever he could to make me comfortable. As I got better and made progress in the Malay language I made peace with myself and Wongowidjojo (so was the boy's name) by telling him I felt sorry I was so cross, and by slipping a *ringhit* (2.50 guilder, or one dollar) in his hand. Since that day the boys of my host (by the way boys are often gray-haired Javanese) were remarkably kind to me, and I did not disappoint them as I finally went away.

Sidin, who had left to return the empty coffee-cup, presently came back and told me that breakfast was ready. I went to the dining-room or gallary at the rear of the house, and as I sat down the rumbling of carriage wheels were heard in the distance. It was the coach of the Regent, now just ten minutes away. We adopted the Yankee style, and had the satisfaction to be ready as the coach and its four horses drove up the gravel road in front of the house. We had a little chat while lighting a manilla cigar, and then the three of us took seats in the broad coach and were soon on the road. The whips cracked lustily, the couriers shouted and lashed the horses previous to jumping on the rear of the coach, the kampong people (villagers) came out, dogs barked and chickens flew in all directions, till we came to the kampong rim of feathery bamboo, and entered the open field where the rising sun painted the clouds in crimson and gold, and the beautiful panorama of wooded mountain slopes and cultured fields broadened out on both sides and made us feel happy without knowing why.

I feel I must be short in regard to the beautiful ride through those undulating plains and gentle slopes, where peasants were busy cutting rice or preparing the adjoining sawah (ricefield) for another crop. I could not tell you all I wanted to tell you about it in a few lines, and may return to this subject another time. But that day I found out that Java is a goodly island, where nature is painted in a thousand of shades of green and yellow, so subtle that the eye needs some training to enjoy it in all its glorious beauty. And as we, after leaving post-house after post-house (3) behind us, reached the foothills, and the panorama broadened out behind us, till where the distant sea lined the horizon, I thought nothing could surpass the splendor of this valley, where every foot of ground is in cultivation, and the palm and fruit tree covered villages are countless. But I must think of the object of our trid, the *koffiie tuinen* (coffee gardens), as they are called here, and leave scenery and native features alone, otherwise I could never get there.

We had on our ride through the low lands almost reached the other side of the Slamat, and were now compelled to change our seats in the coach for the saddle of some of those handsome ponies which are raised in different parts of the archipelago, and are the only animals of this kind that are able to stand the climate. They were the most splendid creatures I have seen—Macassares and Lumbarras, Bimaneses and Batacks—the latter the smallest, but finest horses I ever saw. They are not bigger than ponies, but carry a full size man easy enough. Had the mountain road, where we were to go, been less well kept or stony, we should have found some ugly looking Javanese horses, for these are safer than the finer breeds where the path is rough and dangerous.

But as it was the fine steeds of the *Regent* were sent ahead and were waiting us in a temporary shed erected of bamboo and reeds near to the place we had to leave our carriage. A lunch was waiting us also, and we did honor to the numberous native dishes of which it consisted. Then we had a short rest to let the sun get a little farther down, and mounting our animals at four o'clock we started for the last, and not the least difficult part of our journey.

The Regent let the Kontroleur ride next to me, for in the coach the discourse had been a very embarrassed one and only now could I give vent to my feelings and make the good Kontroleur laugh with my endless and enthusiastic praise of the country. We should have something better still next morning, he said. Now the sun was fast setting and the summit of the Slamat hidden in clouds. To-night it should rain and at dawn the air should be as bright as crystal. The sight from the front gallery of the *passagrahan* (house for travelers in remote places) if not the finest still one of the finest one could see in Java. With this assurance I could see without regret the clouds above us grow thicker and thicker, till we at once found ourself surrounded by their white vapor and the panorama disappeared altogether. Still every once in a while we emerged again into sunshine, but at shorter and shorter intervals, and at last the fog was quite dense and it began to rain. The atmosphere was already much cooler and now it grew quite cold.

At last we reached a level spot and saw that we were coming to our destination. Large cleared spots on the near hills pointed out the place where the woods were felled to make place for the coffee scrubs. We turned a corner of the rocks and the *passagrahan* lay before us.

The coolies who had brought our luggage and the different boys had all arrived, for they had taken a shorter route unfit for horses. The evening was falling and we greeted with delight the glittering of the lamps in the bamboo building and soon sat comfortably around a red-hot stove of queer shape, but of genial communicativeness. A good dinner and a much better after dinner of manilles and grog followed, and then we stretched our tired limbs on the comfortable beds and rolled ourself in the blankets to rest for the next ten hours.

As soon as the Regent had left us, for he was an old man and needed rest and went to bed an hour earlier, the *Kontroleur* told me something about the government culture in Java. As the colonial government was reorganized several years ago and personal taxes were levied from the Javanese, it was evident that not every one of them could pay tax in coin, and to accept those taxes in produces would have given endless trouble and have resulted in final losses. A system of government cultures was then introduced. Instead of paying his his tax in coin a Javanese could work 52 days every year for the government and be square with it. This arrangement was also in full accordance with old customs and was without much trouble introduced. In due time the coffee plantations of the government became a source of great wealth, and year after year the auctions of coffee at Amsterdam brought millions and millions of guilders to the treasury.

As the lower hills which were not in culture by the natives and still fit for coffee, had been exhausted, the culture mounted the slopes of the numerous volcanos and every ten or fifteen years abandoning the old soil brought every time new grounds in constant cultivation, for the old coffee plantations were turned by the natives into *tegalans* (dry, not irrigated, lands) and gradually the mountain slopes become inhabited. That is a remaining benefit of the government's cultures as they are called. The way the wooded slopes are prepared for the coffee plants is an interesting one. After the trees are felled and the roots burned and dug out, the slope is transformed into many narrow terraces, about two feet above each other and wide according to the grade of sloping. These terraces encircle the hills and give a peculiar feature to the young plantations which disappears as the shrubs grow and cover the whole with their thick greenish-blue foliage. At regular intervals holes are dug in the terraces, and these holes filled

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Small farm on Richmond Road—18 acres, well fenced and sown in grass; good 5-roomed house and barn, new four houses and chicken pens; well fenced, good water. The farm is well stocked with cows, pigs, etc. Would be leased or sold, stock, etc., at valuation. One and three quarter miles from City Hall.

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with the loose earth and whatever fertilizers there is handy of leaves and grasses. So prepared the soil is left alone for some time, and then the young coffee plants are set out."

"Are they grown from seeds?" I asked, as the Kontroleur had proceeded so far with his tale.

"I'll show you to-morrow the pepinières, where the shrubs are raised from seeds and where they are kept till they have five leaves. That is the most interesting feature of the plantation unless you take more interest in the plant where the coffee is prepared for the market. This, however, is not yet ready here. Not before next fall do we expect a crop, but the buildings are in course of erection and I'll show you over them."

I told him that I should like to see as much as possible providing I did not give him too much trouble, and he promised to take me to the buildings before breakfast. We then parted and went to bed.

Just before sunrise the Kontroleur woke me up and told me to hurry with my toilet, and to don my warmest clothes. We could just reach an elevated spot to see the sun rise over the mountains and I should not miss that sight. The morning was cold but there was no wind and as I walked down the road and then climbed the steep footpath, I felt my breast swell with the invigorating air. What a difference with the plantation down in the valley, though that was already such an improvement in coming from the coast.

The lower grounds were still enveloped in the shadows of night, but far beyond the eastern hills the sky was beautifully tinted in yellow and tender green, interwoven with red and crimson. Few clouds were visible, a strange fact after the torrential rain that had poured down from seven till ten. But I remembered the clear profile of the volcano seen the night before as I was standing in front of my host's house, and remembered also that the Kontroleur had spoken of the rain as a daily feature on these heights. After a short but difficult clamber we were on a small level spot offering a splendid outlook and presently the sun rose over the distant tops.

It would require an abler pen than mine to depict the splendor of that sunrise, and I feel that any attempt I could make would only result in failure. But I remember vividly the impression with which I stood on that spot, lost in contemplation. My companion sat only a few paces from me on a boulder but did not say a word. He might have seen this sight a dozen times but he was equally impressed by it. At last as I went to the edge of the precipice he rose and came to me.

"Isn't it glorious?" he asked. "Now look down the valley," he continued, "and see the clouds rise above each *desa* (village). In an hour those clouds, now only light vapors, will fill the whole depression as the waters of a lake and not before they have risen to our altitude will you have the fine view in the depth I spoke of. That will be after eleven. Now let us go and see the buildings, afterwards we'll have breakfast."

We left our lofty observatory and entered a dense growth of scrubbery, which led to the edge of the gorge in which wooded depth a swift stream roared down the mountain. There on a gentle sloping plateau we found a number of large bamboo structures, roofed with tiles of red color and with walls of plaster. Water from the upper course of the stream ran all over the premises, and entered some of the buildings through small ditches of masonry and two waterwheels of primitive construction could eventually be turned by the stream and give power to the machinery within. But the buildings were empty and I had to be contented with the rough sketch my companion gave of the process.

"The ripe cherries are soaked in these large basins," he said, pointing to eight large tanks built in the ground and cemented, "there they are left to ferment and then the pulp is taken off them by the joint action of water and rubbing. It is not yet made out in Batavia. The coffee from this establishment will be sent to Europe in the horneskin, or hulled, but anyhow it has to be dried on those cemented platforms over there. If it goes in the skins it is then ready to be baled, but if it must be hulled first it goes to the mill to be erected in the next building."

"What is the advantage of hulling in Europe," I asked.

"Better color they say, but a reaction is already felt and the old method may prove better after all. I don't know about that, I only attend to the culture; the management of the beans concerns another."

The buildings were extremely neat in appearance, and spacious and well built though the material seemed queer. But I heard that well seasoned and ripe bamboo is a material not to be despised even for other than temporary structures, and the thick reeds, none of them being less than six inches in diameter looked strong and durable.

As it was getting late we hastened to the passagrahan and after breakfast went to the pepiniaries, where the young coffee plants were raised. There was quite a native settlement, for the Javanese who work here are salaried and live in the neighborhood of their work.

Mattings of coarse braiding kept most of the sun's rays from the young plants; thousands and thousands of small plants covered the rich soil. Sowed close together they are soon after sprouting taken up and set apart in other beds, where they remain till three leafs are developed. They are then transplanted outside the protecting roof and left till five leaves are well developed, and then with a peculiar round knife are taken out of the ground and bereaved of the principal root before they are put in the holes on the terraces, of the new-prepared gardens. The root is taken away to make the plant spread horizontally, for a low broad growing scrub bears superior coffee than a tall one.

We saw the different manipulations of the young plants and accompanied a section of coolies who brought them to the plantation, each carrying only two at a time to prevent the earth from falling off the roots. The plants are extremely tender and successful manipulation of them is not learned in a couple of days. After taking a survey of the oldest part of the plantation, where already some ripe berries were to be found on the four feet high scrubs, we returned for lunch. The Kontroleur got me a sample of the coffee prepared by the people of the nursery from early berries, and after I had heartily enjoyed the panorama offered from the porch of our rustic lodging we mounted our horses and took the direction home.

Owing to the difficulties of the descent I saw but little of the scenery this time and as we reached the coach and had had our supper it was quite dark. But soon the moon came over the hills and silvered the clouds which overhung the mountain top. It had not rained that evening but it would rain in the night and in the morning before the fog rose I should see the summit of the Samat as clear as ever and gaze with still more interest at the small yellow-gray specks on its slope where the green cone showed a little less dark spot. There the passagrahan stood and that round outbulging rock was the place from where we saw the sun rise. They had told me all this before but the personal visit to the selfsame spot attached so much more interest to it.

Late at night we drove up to the house of my host, and I took leave of my two companions, glad and thankful of the opportunity to see the place where grows that celebrated and beloved produce "Old Government Java," the name of which had always struck me as something queer, unacquainted as I was with its origin. J. H. DeV.

(1.) The Kontroleur is the white official appointed in the "district" of Java to assist and control. (2.) Regent in the management of the native household, as far as agriculture interests of the government are concerned. He advises the Regent, who is in duty bound to follow that advice unless he reports to the Assistant Resident of the Afdeeling (part of a residentie, the seat of a Resident or representative of the Governor-General at Batavia. (3.) Posthouse—Every 5 miles a new set of horses is to be had at the Post, a building with stables and attendants lodgings. There also the couriers are changed. The coachman is kept for the trip, often hundreds of miles.

CAPT. CARROLL RESIGNS.

Will Devote Attention to His Extensive Interests.

"Captain James Carroll has given the Pacific Coast Steamship Company notice that he will shortly retire from their employ," said a well-known gentleman yesterday, "and I do not believe the captain will make more than one or two trips as master of the Aucon."

"Why does he take this step?"

"There are many reasons, but it is only necessary to give a few of them. In the first place, Captain Carroll is very wealthy, and his extensive mining interests demand more time than he can devote to them while running on the steamer. He is one of the owners of the famous Treadwell mine in Alaska, and was a one-fifth owner in the Bear's Nest mine which was recently sold for $2,500,000. Captain Carroll would have resigned some time ago, but for the trouble he had with the customs officers while in the Idaho, two years ago. After that trouble he felt that if he resigned many would believe that he had been discharged, and to allay any suspicion of that kind, he remained in the employ after he had realized it was prejudicial to his interests to do so."

"What changes will his resignation bring about?"

"Only that Captain Floyd, the regular Sound pilot, now running temporarily on the Alaska route, will continue there permanently, and Capt. Frank Worth, who is running as Sound pilot temporarily, will be made permanent pilot. Captain Carroll, after leaving the ship, will take a few weeks' rest and recreation, after which he will devote a greater portion of his time in prospecting and developing some of his mining property in Alaska."—*Post-Intelligencer.*

STEAMER WILMINGTON.

What a Business Man Thinks of Bernard's Opposition.

"Do you think the opposition which Frank Bernard is going to start with the Wilmington between San Francisco and the Sound, will be of a permanent nature?" asked a reporter yesterday of a well-posted business man.

"Of course I have no inside knowledge of the matter, but I will tell you what I think about it. You will perhaps remember that in 1883, I think it was, Mr. Bernard placed the Wilmington on this route in command of Capt. D. G. Blackburn, and that after she had been on the route a few months the Pacific Coast Steamship Company chartered her for a term of years at something like sixteen hundred dollars per month and laid her up in Oakland creek, where she remained some years. She was then fixed up and used by the company as a freighter. Her charter, it seems, has expired, and Frank Bernard is not the kind of a man that allows grass to grow under his feet, and he is going to make the company charter her again, or else make her very troublesome to them. I for one would like to see an opposition line of steamers on that route, but I am afraid as soon as the Pacific Coast Steamship Company sees that Frank Bernard really means business, they will charter the steamer again, as they have a fine trade now, both in freight and passengers and don't want it divided up.—*Post-Intelligencer.*

Steamship Walla Walla.

About three months ago, the Oregon Improvement Company had the large collier Walla Walla placed on the ways at the Union Iron Works at San Francisco, for the purpose of being overhauled and remodeled, so as to be adapted to the passenger traffic. When the steamer went on the ways it was thought that six months would be required to make the needed changes. According to this, it will be probably towards the first of November before the Walla Walla will be ready to go into active service. It is the present purpose of the company to place the vessel on the route between the Bay City and Victoria and Sound ports. The Walla Walla is one of the largest vessels owned by the company and, with the addition of the work necessary to convert the collier into a passenger ship, she will be a splendid steamship, second to none that ply northward from San Francisco.

Patronize Home Industry.

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A discount boot and shoe sale is now on at the People's Boot and Shoe Store at 47 Johnson street. Bargains for everybody.

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An Explanation.

What is this "nervous trouble" with which so many seem now to be afflicted? If you will remember a few years ago the word Malaria was comparatively unknown—to-day it is as common as any word in the English language, yet this word covers only the meaning of another word used by our forefathers in times past. So it is with nervous diseases, as they and Malaria are intended to cover want our grandfathers called Biliousness, and all are caused by troubles that arise from a diseased condition of the Liver which in performing its functions finding it cannot dispose of the bile through the ordinary channel is compelled to pass it off through the system, causing nervous troubles, Malaria, Bilious Fever, etc. You who are suffering can well appreciate a cure. We recommend Green's August Flower. Its cures are marvelous. *

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MUNICIPAL.

A BY-LAW

To Provide for the Acquisition and Maintenance of a Public Library.

WHEREAS, THE SUBSCRIBERS OF THE Mechanics' Literary Institute heretofore established and maintained at Victoria, have resolved to hand over the Library of that institute to the City Council as a free, or partially free, circulating library.

And, whereas, it is expedient to accept the offer contained in the said resolution, and establish and maintain a public and free, or partially free, library, therefore

Be it enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. This By-Law may be cited as the City Library By-Law, 1888.

2. It shall be lawful for the Council to accept and take over, on behalf of the Corporation, the library of the Mechanics' Literary Institute aforesaid, as a free, or partially free, circulating library, and to assume and pay any liabilities in connection therewith, not exceeding in the whole the sum of $450.

3. It shall be lawful for the Council to establish, and maintain a Public, Free or partially Free Library, of which the Library accepted and taken over shall be the nucleus; to obtain suitable premises therefor, and from time to time to accept or purchase such additions thereto, and such furniture as the Council may deem expedient; and to appoint a competent person to be City Librarian at such a salary as the Council shall fix, provided that the total expenditure under the authority of this section shall not exceed the sum of $1,200.00 in any one year.

4. The Council shall have power to make such rules and regulations from time to time for the management and use of the said Library, and for defining the duties of the City Librarian as they shall deem expedient.

5. This By-Law shall not be finally passed until the assent of the Electors of the City has been obtained, in conformity with the provisions in respect of By-Laws for creating debts.

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[L. S.] JOHN GRANT, Mayor.

JAMES D. ROBINSON, C. M. C.

A BY-LAW

To enable the Corporation of the City of Victoria to raise the sum of $20,000 for Water Works Purposes.

WHEREAS IT IS EXPEDIENT TO RAISE a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing Cast Iron Pipes for the distribution of water throughout the City and for laying the same and other water pipes within the City.

And, Whereas, for the purposes aforesaid it is intended to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the said City the sum of $20,000.

And, Whereas, it will require the sum of $1,266.00 to be raised annually by special rate for paying the debt intended to be hereby created and the interest thereon.

And, Whereas, the amount of the whole rateable property of the said Corporation according to the last revised Assessment Roll is $5,600,000.

And, Whereas, for paying the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said debt intended to be hereby created according to the Municipality Act, 1881, an annual special rate of 1-44 of one per cent. on the dollar will be required.

And, Whereas, it is intended to reduce the general rate so that the said special rate shall not increase the total rate of taxation.

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:—

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said City to raise by way of loan from any person or persons, or body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $20,000.00, and to cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation for that purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums of money as may be required either in currency or in sterling money not less than $500.00, or the sterling equivalent of that sum and each and all such debentures shall be sealed with the common seal of the said Corporation and signed by the Mayor.

3. The said debentures shall be made payable in forty years from the date hereinafter mentioned for this by-law to take effect at the office of the Treasurer of the said Corporation at the City Hall, Victoria, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of the interest.

4. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum from the date thereof which interest shall be payable half yearly at the office of the said Treasurer.

5. For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures and the interest to become due thereon an equal special rate of 1-44 of one per cent. on the dollar shall in addition to all other rates be raised, levied and collected in each year upon all rateable property within the said City of Victoria during the continuance of the said debentures or any of them.

6. It shall be lawful for the said Corporation from time to time to re-purchase any of the said debentures at such price as shall in each case be mutually agreed upon, and all debentures so repurchased shall be forthwith cancelled and no re-issue of debentures or any debentures shall be made in consequence of such re-purchase.

7. This by-law shall before the final passing thereof receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided by the Municipal Act, 1881, and shall take effect on the 25th day of August, 1888.

8. This by-law may be cited as the Johnson Street Sewer By-law, 1888.

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NOTICES.

"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

Part of Lot No. 180, in the City of Victoria.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE Title to the above mentioned part of said Lot will be issued to Felix Leloire, on the 29th day of September, 1888, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said part of said Lot or some portion thereof.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, 28th June, 1888. je28 3m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, 60 days after date, we intend making application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 5,000 acres of land, situate on Queen Charlotte Island, and described as follows:—

Commencing at a post on the south side of Skidegate Bay, nearly opposite the land owned by the Queen Charlotte Coal Co.; thence south 160 chains; thence east 240 chains; thence north 240 chains, more or less, to the south shore of Skidegate Bay; thence following the shore line of the Bay in a westerly direction to the point of commencement.

JAMES FELL, B. H. JOHN.
R. P. RITHET, HY. BUSS.
J. FREDK. FELL, JNO. IRVING.
H. A. S. MORLEY, JAMES DEANS.

Victoria, 19th June, 1888. fjy18

BUSINESS CHANGE.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED beg to inform our numerous patrons that we have disposed of the stock of Groceries and Liquors in our store at the corner of Yates and Broad Streets to Mr. J. C. Devlin, thanking the public for favors during the past thirteen years we have been in business and hoping for a continuance of the same to our successor, Mr. Devlin. All accounts against the firm and outstanding debts must be paid on or before August 1st, 1888. All bills outstanding after that date will be placed in the hands of our attorney for collection.

A. BOSSI & C. GIESSELMAN.

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"Coal Prospecting Act, 1884."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a license to prospect for coal on the unoccupied portion of Tumbo Island, Cowichan District, has been issued to Charles Gabriel.

F. G. VERNON, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands & Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 9th Feb., 1888. my29

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J. R. ANDERSON, Liquidator,

Victoria, B. C., Cor. Wharf and Fort Sts. 3rd May, 1888. my5 tf

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

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MUNICIPAL.

A BY-LAW

To enable the Corporation of the City of Victoria to raise the sum of $30,000 for Sewerage Purposes.

WHEREAS IT IS EXPEDIENT TO RAISE a sum of money for the purpose of constructing a Brick Sewer along Johnson street in the said City, between Blanchard street and Victoria harbor, and such other sewers as it may be necessary to construct along such streets as intersect Johnson street.

And, Whereas, for the purposes aforesaid it is intended to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the said City the sum of $30,000.

And, Whereas, it will require the sum of $1,898 to be raised annually by special rate for paying the debt intended to be hereby created and the interest thereon.

And, Whereas, the amount of the whole rateable property of the said Corporation according to the last revised Assessment Roll is $5,600,000.

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2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums of money as may be required either in currency or in sterling money not less than $500, or the sterling equivalent of that sum, and each and all such debentures shall be sealed with the common seal of the said Corporation and signed by the Mayor.

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R. ATWOOD, J. TEAGUE, Jr.

The business will in future be conducted by J. Teague, Jr., who will collect all accounts, and pay all indebtedness of the late firm. While thanking the public for the liberal patronage extended to Atwood & Co., I beg to solicit a continuance of the same. The services of Mr. Kellogg, a competent druggist have been secured to take charge of the dispensing department.

J. TEAGUE, Jr., No 64 Yates Street. Victoria, July 27, 1888. jy27 1m

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Victoria, - Friday, August 3, 1888

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Per str R P Rithet from New Westminster—Mr and Mrs Hendry, Mrs Summerville and children, Miss Keast, Miss Keast, Miss Mackay, Misses King, W Carmichael, J Benson, W Clark, Sutherland, J Levy, R Wilde, W Hamilton, sr, W Hamilton, jr, Miss McNiff, T Kerckland, W Booth, Mr Mitchell, 2 Antionio, 25 Indians and 21 Chinese.

Per steamer Yosemite from Vancouver—Thomas Rodgers, T Thomas, M McQuillan, Miss Belanger, C Russell, J L Jours, G A Gowan, F S Barnard, Jno Jackson, W S McDonald, W Walsh, W B Dawson, J Feigh, Frank Turner, W Fagan, Wm Gordon, Miss Hereton, Miss R Moody, Rev D McRae, S R Hunter, Miss Renouf, Miss Gaudin, C McLachlan, Sam Wallace, Maj B Evans, S Leiser, W B Mallon, Misses Mallon, W F Jaynes.

Per steamer Olympian from Puget Sound—W L Whittle, G Savage, G G Scott, G Clayton, B H Morton and wife, J Briggs, A Blood, Mrs Jennings, Scott, M H Mowish, D Armes, E Fradet, W M Curtis, E A Carleton, J B Davenport, R M Paton and wife, C F Smith, H R Cameron, M E Bell and wife, J Walsh, W G Campbell, Ching, Mrs Englehardt, E Holmes, S S Kilby and wife, G A Gibson, E Allen, T H Graham, J H Cannon and wife, G Mosier, J Shipton, J Burns and daughter, M Mack and wife, J Marten, C Burkland, Mrs Simpson, M H Well, W Ross, F McDonald, J M Battersley, F H Ellis, G Stephens, Miss Lester, J Motluby, J Wakemen, Jno Harter, H K Gregory, J McIntosh, M Ricker, J Allen, Mrs Rohrenchild, Miss Ross, Mrs and Miss Matthesson, W O Thompson, H McLellan, J Jolly, Mrs Stacker, Mrs Goodsell, Mrs Bassett, A W Benson, W Eaton, O Brazil, J Randall, M Lemkil, C H Bennenbarfer and wife.

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—Ice Cream at Stein's.

—Kurtz's Jubilee Cigars are now ready.

—Oysters and Turtles at Poodle Dog.

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—Hot luncheon between 12 and 2:30 daily, except Sunday, at the Boomerang. McDermott & Cliffe, proprietors.

The writ for Halton is issued. The nomination will take place on August 15th; polling a week later.

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—It is reported that Mr. J. E. Insley, of Vancouver, has been made a good offer for his ranche near New Westminster by the New Westminster Southern Railway Company.

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—Officer John L. McClellan, of the Seattle police force, died near Lake Union on Tuesday morning. He was captain of the night force and was on duty until last Sunday.

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Dangerous Grass Fire.

His Honor Governor Nelson telephoned the Fire Department this morning that a grass fire was burning near Government House, endangering surrounding property. The steam fire engine and horse hose cart were taken up and the fire extinguished without ringing an alarm. This is the third time firemen have been called out during the past three weeks to suppress grass fires.

A Scene in Church.

During the session of the Baptist camp meeting in Mount Tabor, Spokane Falls, last Monday night, the audience were surprised and shocked by an individual, over-filled with bug juice, rising on his feet and declaring in stentorian tones that the preacher was a —— liar. He was immediately followed by another alleged man who loudly denounced that he could lick —— out of the minister, and declared his intention to do so before the aforesaid minister, the evangelist, Rev. Robert Cairns, could leave town. After this disgraceful outbreak they both started for the pulpit with the avowed purpose of putting their threats into execution, but were interrupted and compelled to leave the ground, but not until they had frightened a number of ladies by their rufflanly conduct and succeeded in breaking up the meeting.

Try "Gold Block" smoking Tobacco.

FORGER ARRESTED.

In Form and Features Resembles the Prince of Wales.

A man named Porter was arrested in Portland on Monday last for forging checks to the amount of several thousand dollars in February 1886, while in the employ of the Anglo-American Packing and Provision Company of Chicago, as billing clerk. A history of Porter's married life would fill volumes. Some fifteen or sixteen years ago he married the daughter of a wealthy Irish landlord in the northern part of Ireland. As soon as getting possession of his wife's dowry he commenced to lead a spendthrift's life. He in form and features greatly resembles the Prince of Wales and as he used to imitate the Prince in dress, he was very often taken for his Royal Highness and was treated accordingly. After squandering his wife's ample fortune he came to America. Almost penniless, he secured the position of the billing clerkship of the Anglo-American Packing and Provision Company, and leading the same fast life was compelled to commit forgery to keep his head above water.

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Aberdeen Quarantined.

A San Francisco despatch dated July 31st, states that "the Canadian Pacific Steamship Company's steamer Aberdeen arrived that day from Hongkong and Yokohama, via Victoria, B. C., and was at once placed in 3 days' quarantine."

Condolatory.

St. Joseph's Social and Literary Society will meet this evening for the purpose of presenting an address sympathizing with Bishop-Elect Lemmens and the R. C. clergy on the great loss sustained by the death of the late Very Rev. Father Jonckau.

Incoming Passengers.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 3—Passengers by the Mexico for Victoria: A S Blake, Mrs R C Dinsdale, Mrs Tisdeman and son, Miss Forrest, Miss Kate Todd, Miss Robinson, Mrs Caldwell, C Parsons, Miss A D Cameron, C A Martin, D E Kerr, Mrs Bowes and son, E Dimmick, John Neill, R Brodrick, Mrs C Mohud, B H McNeal and James Day.

Decently Interred.

It unfortunately happened that H. M. S. Caroline was up at the Skeena River at the time that the body of the seaman, Joseph Evans, who was drowned by the capsizing of the yacht Tristic during the Dominion Day regatta, came ashore. It will be satisfaction to his messmates to know that his body was kindly taken care of by Mr. M. Gibson, of the Queen's Hotel, and was decently interred in the city cemetery, a handsome coffin enclosing the remains. Mr. Gibson's kindness to the poor fellow deserves the thanks, not only of his messmates in the Caroline, but of the community at large.—*News-Advertiser.*

Opium Seizures.

A seizure of unstamped opium was made on Tuesday last at the Mount Hood Laundry, Portland. The opium was found in the possession of a man named Thomas Alexander, a seaman belonging to the steamer Idaho from Alaska, and was put up in two valises. Alexander claims that he was unaware of the contents of the valises, and that it had fallen to his lot to bring them across the river. He was also instructed to deliver the valises. Taken in charge by the Marshal he was allowed to return to the ship to get some personal effects before being confined in the county jail, in which place he now is and where he will remain until the case is disposed of by Judge Deady. The opium is worth about $900.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

A series of gospel temperance meetings will be held in this city, commencing with a Gospel Praise Service on Sunday evening next at 8:30 o'clock in the Pandora Street Methodist Church. Miss J. Armenia Ackerman will lecture on San Francisco by Gaslight or the Vices of a Great City and will depict in a most graphic manner the many means of depravity to be found in all large places. The lady is well spoken of by those who are in a position to know her ability in the lecture room and the public will be afforded an opportunity of listening to the lecture free of charge. The series will be continued during the whole week and a lecture will be delivered by the lady each evening.

Death of a Poet-Laureate.

It will be heard with a great deal of regret wherever the kindly, intelligent old gentleman was known, that Robert Morris, the poet-laureate of Free Masonry, is dead. He was far advanced in years. He had lived to exactly the allotted three score and ten when the end came, at his home in La Grange, Kentucky, on Tuesday last the 31st ult. Mr. Morris, it will be remembered, visited Victoria last winter, when he delivered a course of lectures to members of the craft in the Masonic Temple, and also gave a beautiful address on one occasion in the Y M C A rooms, his subject being "Travels in the Holy Land." All who heard him cannot fail to have pleasing memories of his beautiful descriptions, sweet diction and kindly face.

Passengers for China.

The passenger list of the Parthia for China and Japan was as follows: For Yokohama, Rev Dr and Mrs McDonald, Toronto; Victor Fago, New York; A. W. Beall, Montreal; Mrs E E Bartlett, Providence, R I; Mr and Mrs J B Crosby, San Francisco; Mr and Mrs Hollister, two children, and Miss Hole, London; Rev J F Smith and wife, Miss H L Sutherland, Miss Eva Grant and niece, and C D Moore, Toronto; Thomas Bakky and S Ewats, New York; His Excellency M Sickiewicz, wife family and servants, Miss Pearson, Mr and Mrs George Taylor, Angus Macdonald' three Japanese and 47 Chinamen.

Her cargo is a valuable one, consisting of about four hundred tons, and including 6000 sacks of Oregon flour, 120 bales of cotton from Toronto and 500 from Montreal, and a lot of miscellaneous freight.

Smoke "Puritan" Cut Plug.

THE MENZIES' CASE.

Examination Began To-day in the Police Court—A New Charge Preferred.

Ah Chee Swears He Paid Menzies $150—Was Told He Was Duly Married.

The Menzies case was called in the police court this morning. A second charge was laid against the defendant of obtaining $150 from Ah Chee under false pretenses. This is the amount alleged to have been paid to Menzies by the above named Chinaman for procuring one of the girls of the Chinese Home.

Mr. Taylor, city barrister, appeared to prosecute, and Messrs. Gannaway and Walls for the defence.

On the case being called Mr. Walls asked for an adjournment, as the defence was not prepared to meet the new charge. He thought also the defendant should be allowed out on his own recognizance, as he had been unable to obtain bail.

Mr. Taylor—That is due to his high (?) reputation.

Mr. Gannaway—I am sure Your Honor will see that this is a case in which the defendant should be allowed out on his own recognizance. The defendant is a poor man and in consequence of articles in the newspapers and one thing and another he has been unable to obtain bail. He did not think the defendant could be brought to court on one charge and asked to answer to another.

Mr. Walls—It has taken a week for Mr. Taylor to find out the charge of false pretenses, and during that time a most disgraceful article had appeared in the TIMES.

His Honor—Oh never mind that. That does not influence me.

Mr. Walls—Well but it influences other people, and I am sure if you had read it you would change your opinion. The defendant came back purely on his own account to answer to the charge in the TIMES, the new court of judicature which condemns a man before he is tried (laughter).

His Honor to Mr. Taylor—Mr. Walls says he is not ready to meet the charges. I think he is entitled to a remand.

Mr. Taylor—I have a witness here today for whose presence I cannot be answerable for to-morrow.

His Honor—Would he be spirited away.

Mr. Taylor—There is a possibility of such a thing.

Mr. Walls—We will not spirit him away.

Mr. Taylor—I don't say you would. It would be decidedly unprofessional.

His Honor—If we can't get these witnesses at the assizes, what use will they be?

Mr. Taylor—Well you can commit them to prison or bind them to appear.

Mr. Gannaway—The counsel will not say that in his opinion that he expects the witness will be tampered with.

Mr. Taylor—We do not wish that either the defendant or any of his emissaries shall have a chance to tamper with the witness, as everyone knows there is reason to fear that such a thing might be done, especially in the case of Chinese witnesses.

Mr. Walls—This is very overbearing on the part of the police. It has not gone to the Crown yet. Or perhaps it is THE TIMES.

Mr. Taylor—Neither are responsible. I only am to blame if any injury is done.

The Court decreed that the examination of witnesses should be proceeded with, and adjourned one hour for lunch.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

On reassembling of the court, Mr. Walls entered a plea of not guilty to the charge of obtaining money under false pretenses.

Some discussion took place as to whether witnesses should leave the court room or not. Mr. Taylor asked that Mrs. Crawford should leave the court room. Mrs. Crawford left muttering some words which seemed to bode evil for the counsel for the prosecution.

Ah Chee testified that he knew Mr. Menzies; knew Ah. Lin who stopped at the Mission House. Know Mr. Menzies four months after the Chinese New Year. Menzies did not sell me Ah Lin. I buy her clothes, hat shoes, etc. I married Ah Lin and lived with her three weeks and one day. I had no marriage certificate. Menzies told me we were married.

Mr. Walls objected to Mr. Taylor interrogating the witness, who was giving his testimony without an interpreter.

Ah Chee—Menzies and Mrs. Crawford said we were married.

Mr. Jackson was here sworn as interpreter.

Ah Chee—We went to the minister's. I don't know what a minister is, the Chinese don't do things like that. The minister said they would not marry me, because I did not go to church; only the minister on the hill said that. Was peddling vegetables and Mrs. Crawford asked me how I would like to marry Ah Lin. I said I like her very much and that I would go down to see Mr. Vrooman who understood the English and the Chinese, to speak to him about the marriage. Mr. Vrooman said if you marry that girl I will be very glad to see it. He said Ah Lin was a very good girl. He said if you like that girl give me $200 and you can have her. There is $200 and $12 expenses more.

The witness being asked when and where he was married, replied "How could we live together fifteen or sixteen days if we were not married?"

Ah Chee, Ah Lin, Mrs. Crawford, Mr. Menzies and myself went to Mrs. Crawford's house on View street. I gave the money there to Mr. Menzies. Ah Lin saw me give the money. Saturday I gave $50 to Menzies, and Monday he promised to bring the marriage license back, when I was to give him another $100. Monday he brought the marriage license and I gave him the $100. Telephone from government house said it was a good license. I gave the $100 as soon as I got it. Mr. Menzies imposed on me, that is how I am in this condition now. After I received the license Ah Lin and I lived comfortably together for three weeks. I thought the license was good.

Mr. Gannaway—The counsel for the prosecution is leading the witness.

His Honor—I cannot help it. It is hard to get the information through an interpreter.

Ah Chee—I thought with the license we were married. Menzies brought the paper (produced) saying he had been to three churches and they refused; you take this paper and go home "marriage very good." (Document shown to witness.) I could'nt say whether that is the paper or not. It was like that. Mr. Vrooman said that was a false license and took it away. Said he would get a good one. If I thought I was not married to Ah Lin I would not have given Menzies the $100. I got receipt from Menzies. (Receipt produced.) Its a long time ago; I don't know if these were the ones. I gave them to Mr. Vrooman. I saw Mr. Menzies write these two receipts. Mr. Menzies said "all right; you are married and don't be afraid." Mr. Vrooman said to send the girl back to the Chinese Home, and he would get a good license. Showed the receipts to a minister who lives up on the top of Pandora street. He is a big man; was here this morning. Told mistress of the school not to whip Ah Lin, she was my wife.

His Honor—Now what does the false pretenses consist of?

Mr. Taylor—It consists of this, that Menzies by representing to Ah Chee that he was really married obtained $150 from him.

Mr. Gannaway—If there is no other evidence the case might as well be dismissed here. My learned friend cannot show there was any false representation.

His Honor—Well, what did the witness get for his money? He is out of his money and the wife too.—(Laughter.)

Mr. Gannaway—The Chinaman says the money was paid for clothing, shoes, etc., which was perfectly legitimate.

His Honor—Well how did Mr. Vrooman get the women away?

Mr. Gannaway—By some subterfuge or other, I suppose.

His Honor—The marriage has not been consummated since?

Mr. Taylor—No.

Mr. Gannaway—Any clergyman would have performed the marriage ceremony if they had gone to them with this license.

Mr. Taylor—No, not without an interpreter or some one to show that everything was all right.

His Honor—The defendant would not make any such bargain with a white man. What value did he give for the money, and what value did the Chinaman think he was receiving?

Mr. Gannaway—It is similar to several cases I have known here. A gentleman brings out a servant from the old country and by-and-by she wants to get married. The man who marries her says to the gentleman who brought out his wife, "I will pay you for any expense you have been to." Why, a whole ship load of women were brought out here one time under some such conditions, and it was a perfectly legitimate transaction.

His Honor—Well, I suppose we had better hear the whole case. There is nothing to show why the ministers should not marry a couple with this license?

Mr. Taylor—Nothing that I know; but the charge is that the defendant, by representing to Ah Chee that he was properly married to Ah Lin, obtained his money.

His Honor—What about the kidnapping case? Does that fall to the ground?

Mr. Taylor—I do not know yet whether it does or not. There are now three charges against the defendant that of kidnapping, false pretenses and obtaining illicit intercourse.

Mr. Gannaway was about to cross-examine Ah Chee but was not satisfied with Jackson for interpreter. Two others were sent for but they refused to act.

Case was thereupon adjourned till Monday, the witness Ah Chee promising to attend.

Mr. Taylor wanted the evidence read over and signed.

Mr. Gannaway—It is no good anyhow if he does not attend.

Mr. Taylor—Oh, I beg your pardon, it is.

Evidence was accordingly read over.

The bail was reduced one-half and defendant started out with Mr. Walls and an officer to endeavor to find sureties. His Honor explained that he did not wish to prevent the accused from getting out of jail if he could give security for his appearance.

OUR TOWN MAJOR.

A Military Wanderer—The New Senator—Sewers, &c.

The Major wishes to inform "Wanderer," writing to THE TIMES of yesterday, that being very little acquainted with the discipline of colonial militia, and so many queer things coming to notice now and then, rediculous from a military point of view, that he has given up the elucidation as a bad job. Being unacquainted with military talents of Colonel Prior, as a drill instructor, or that of the officers under his command, it would be unfair and unjust to make any comment. Lieut. Lang, R. E., may have been called on to instruct in some new manoeuver; it would not be the first time that even the Colonel commanding a regiment was placed under the command for the time being, of his own drill instructor, and that instructor of no higher rank than full private. The instruction afforded by a regular officer to militia is very beneficial in many ways, and that given by Lieut. Lang in the instance in question should result in good effects; it can do no harm anyway, especially if our civilians don't ape the haw-haw business, and thereby try to knock terror into their subordinates of the ranks as would be military martinets. "Wander" about and see a little more that may be will be worth writing about. Bear in mind that colonial militia will be militia till the end of time.

In the half column of praise on Senator Perley the *Colonist* forgot the mention of how the bran new Senator secured the Indian department contract for beef at 13c a pound, when it was only 10c retail. Dewdney knows it well, or in the biographical sketch it is left out. The incident also of the black ox affair at Wolseley is omitted. Indian department bribery, seed grain bribery, and the free destruction of whiskey, placed Perley the great "I am" at the head of the poll over Dickie. How could a party that hadn't the price of a three-cent. stamp fight against such? Dewdney was afraid of Perley before he went to the Commons and every endeavor was used by the party to prevent his running at the last election, but he ran in spite of them, and they, per-force, endorsed his candidature, but not till rather late in the day. Mr. Perley possesses many good qualifications, amongst which may be counted that being a big man, neither Sir John nor his henchman Dewdney, could ever sit on the Senator. They tried it and failed. Davin called him an "nincompoop," whatever that may mean. Sir John was only too glad to shelve the gallant Senator for East Assiniboia or anywhere else.

Mr. "Real Estate" in this morning's *Colonist* voices the Major's opinion about the sewer contract. The amount is so trifling for the accomplishment of the gigantic scheme that it were just as well to "job and loaf" it off as quick as possible—the sooner the better. Begin at once, lose no time; the elections are not far off. It is not what was anticipated by THE TOWN MAJOR.

New Westminster News.

Mr. Wheatly Bovill and Miss Annie Robinson were married at Trenant on Wednesday.

Steamer Western Slope will run on the New Westminster-Nanaimo route whilst the Dunsmuir is undergoing repairs.

A fire on Rowling's wharf at the North Arm destroyed lumber valued at $100.

A gentleman named Prentiss will build a lumber mill near New Westminster.

Young Men's Institute.

Rev. J. A. Van Nevel, Treasurer, and T. Deasy, President, of Y. M. I., No. 85, have been selected to represent the Institute at the grand council meeting to be held in Stockton, Cal., on Sept. 3rd. Delegates will also attend from Seattle, New Westminster and Tacoma.

H. M. S. Cormorant.

The man-o'-war Cormorant, Commander J. Nicholls, arrived in Esquimalt this afternoon from Honolulu.

Smoke "Athlete" straight cut Cigarettes.

POLICE COURT RECORD.

[Before Hon. A. N. Richards, Q.C.]

John Cross, charged with being in possession of an intoxicant. Remanded.

Wing Lee, obstructing Sergeant Shepherd in the discharge of his duty.

Chief Bloomfield explained that the sergeant had no warrant, but hearing a noise in a house where an unlawful game was supposed to be going on, he tried to go in and the defendant closed the door in his face. Case adjourned.

Joseph Phœnix, charged with obstructing Cormorant street with a quantity of zinc. Defendant declared that he had left the bales of zinc lying alongside of the walk and the scavenger had rolled one of them on to it. Adjourned till Monday.

O'Reilly, charged with assault, was discharged the Attorney General refusing to prosecute.

Consecration Ceremonies.

Extensive preparations are being made for the consecration next Sunday of Bishop-elect Lemmens. Every diocese in the Province will be represented. Archbishop Gross and Bishop Brondel will arrive to-night or to-morrow. A procession of Bishops and priests will leave the residence of the clergy at 9 o'clock on Sunday morning and will proceed to the pro-Cathedral by way of Yates, Blanchard and View streets. During the ceremony a sermon will be preached by Bishop Brondel, who was for some time in charge of this diocese. At the evening service Archbishop Gross will preach.

The grasshopper plague is continuing to ravage portions of Berthier, Que. Public prayers are now being offered in the parish of St. Bartholini for their disappearance.

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Tuesday noon, Aug. 7th,

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DOMINION GOVERNMENT

SAVINGS BANK.

DEPOSITORS ARE REQUESTED TO PRESENT their Pass Books at the office on Government street for insertion of the accrued interest at the 30th June 1888.

JOHN GRAHAM,
Assistant Receiver General.

Victoria Aug 2nd 1888. aug2-1m

PROVINCIAL

ROYAL JUBILEE HOSPITAL.

THE ADJOURNED GENERAL COMmittee meeting will be held on Monday next, the 6th inst., at 3 p. m., at the Board of Trade rooms, Bank of British Columbia Building. All members are specially requested to attend, the absence of a considerable number at previous meetings having much retarded the business under consideration.

WILLIAM M. CHUDLEY,
Hon'y Secretary.

Victoria B. C., 2nd August, 1888.

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Municipal Debentures.

APPLICATION FOR DEBENTURES TO the extent of $20,000, issued by authority of the Johnson Street Sewer By-Law, 1888.

Also $26,000 issued by authority of the Water Works Loan By-Law, 1888.

Will be received at the office of the undersigned up to 4 o'clock p. m. on the 22nd day of August, 1888.

The Corporation do not bind themselves to accept any tender.

JAMES D. ROBINSON,
C. M. C.

City Hall, Victoria, 2 August, 1888 aug2

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jy27td R. L. SALMON, Secretary.

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Fraser River Farm!

By Order of the Mortgagee.

Wednesday, Aug. 8, 12:30 p.m.

I have been instructed by the Mortgagee to sell, at my Salesroom, Fort and Langley Streets, Victoria: The N. E. ¼ of Sec. 20, Township 12, containing 160 acres in Maple Ridge Municipality, New Westminster District, distant 2 miles from Port Haney. There is a good wagon road to the property, about 25 acres under cultivation, and usual farm improvements. Splendid Hay land and not subject to overflow; also suitable for fruit growing.

This is a first-class chance to acquire good farming property at a cheap rate.

For further particulars apply to E. M. Johnson, Real Estate Agent, Government St., Victoria, or to

GEO. BYRNES,
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